## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

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X-RAY DETECTOR SYSTEM HAVING LOW Z MATERIAL PANEL

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The present invention provides for a A method and apparatus to detect for detecting concealed items on or in an object by utilizing a low Z material panel. The object to be scanned is located between an x-ray detector and the low Z material panel. The method includes producing a pencil beam of x-rays from an x-ray source directed toward said the object, scanning the beam of x-rays over the object, and detecting x-rays scattered from the beam of x-rays as a result of interacting with the object and a and the low Z material panel, the object located between the detector and the panel. The apparatus provides for includes an x-ray source to produce a pencil beam of x-rays directed toward an object the object, a scanner to scan the beam of x-rays over the object, and a and the detector to detect x-rays scattered from the beam of x-rays as a result of interacting with the object and the low Z material panel, the object located between the detector and the panel.

A revised Abstract is attached to this paper. This sheet replaces the original sheet including the Abstract.